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11 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

12 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

13 PATRICIA C. BARBERA,

14 Plaintiff,

15 vs.

16 WMC MORTGAGE CORPORATION, a
17 California corporation; aka WMC Direct, a
18 California Business Entity; GE Consumer
19 Finance, a unit of General Electric
20 Company; Select Portfolio Servicing Corp,
21 a Utah Corporation; Fairbanks Holding
22 Corporation, a Delaware Corporation; and
23 Land Title Company Of Marin, a
24 California Business entity;

25 Does 1 thru 100, inclusive

26 Defendants.

CV 08
Case No. 08-2677

[Removal from Superior Court of
California, County of Marin,
Case No. CV 081763]

NOTICE OF RELATED CASES OF
DEFENDANTS WMC MORTGAGE,
LLC AND GE CONSUMER
FINANCE, INC.

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1 TO THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN
2 DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION:

3 Pursuant to Civil Local Rule 3-12, the undersigned, counsel for defendants
4 WMC Mortgage, LLC (successor in interest to "WMC Mortgage Corporation") and
5 GE Consumer Finance, Inc., certify that the following listed case is related to the
6 action presently being removed on the grounds that: (1) both actions concern
7 substantially the same parties, property, transactions, and events; and (2) it appears
8 likely that there will be an unduly burdensome duplication of labor and expense or
9 conflicting results if the cases are conducted before different Judges.

- 10 1. Patricia C. Barbera v. WMC Mortgage Corp., *et al.* (Case No. 4:04-cv-
11 03738-SBA)
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13 DATED: May 28, 2008

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14 By 

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35 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the
36 above is true and correct. Executed on May 28, 2008, at Los Angeles, California.

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38 Patty Keen

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